Sl. No. Name of the Drug Company	A/C Unit	Production		
		1982-83	1983-84	1984-85
VII. Anti Rabic	KL			
1. Haffkin Bio Pharma		5·95	6·37	5·30
VIII. Gas Gangrene				
1. Haffkin Bio Pharma		14·00	29·00	5·00

Prices of Opthalmological and Optic Preparations

793. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU; Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the prices of Opthalmological and optic preparations are very costly in the country;

(b) what are the names of ten . major selling preparations of aech along-with the composition of each and the name of the manufacturer;

(c) what was the price fixed for each by Government and at what price each is being sold;

(d) what is the mark up being allowed on each group as per Drugs Price Control Order, 1979;

(e) names of the companies which are marketing these preparations without price approval or at a higher -price than the fixed one; and

(f) what steps the department is taking to provide these medicines at prices which are within the reach of common man?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHEMICALS AND PETRO-CHEMICALS (SHRI R. K. JAICHANDRA SINGH): (a) and (f) Price control exercised under Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1979 on these medicines has moderated the prices.

(b) and (d) Sales turnover of individual formulations ig not monitored. Markup on formulations based on Tetracycline is 55 per cent whereas the markup on other formulations is upto 100 per cent.

(c) and (e) To the extent information is available, leader prices of some preparations used for opthamo-logicaland optic purposes are given beiow:—

Si.No.	Name of the Formulation/Strength		Pack Size	Leader Price
1.	Atropine Eye Ointment	1%	3·5. gm. tube	1·96
2.	Chloramphenicol Applicaps 2.5 mg. Applicaps		50's bottle	8.56
3.	Chloramphenicol ointment	1%	3·5 gm. tube	5.66
4.	Sulphacetamide Eye Drops	10%	10 ml. vial	3.42
	-do-	10%	14ml. vial	3.66
	-do-	20%	10ml. vial	3.70
	-do-	20%	14ml.	4.08
	-do-	30%	10ml.	4.00
	-do-	30%	14ml.	4.30

No inistanc of any manufacturer selling the above formulations at prices exceeding the notified leader prices have come to the notice qf the Government